## September 27, 2001

Ms. Magalie Roman Salas Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554 Ms. Irene M. Flannery, Vice President High Cost & Low Income Division Universal Service Administrative Co. 2120 L Street, N.W. – Suite 600 Washington, D.C. 20037

RE: State Certification of Carriers for Use of Federal Universal Service Funds CC. Docket 96-45

Dear Ms. Salas and Ms. Flannery:

The Michigan Public Service Commission on September 27, 2001 by Minute Action certified carriers eligible to receive for use Federal Universal Service Funds. This Minute Action is attached for filing with your offices in compliance with rules and orders governing state certification of carriers for use of federal universal service funds.

Sincerely,

Thomas R. Lonergan, Director Communications Division

## Attachment

cc. Ms. Sheryl Todd
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Michigan Public Service Commission Case No. U-13100

"Adopt and issue minute dated September 27, 2001 certifying the following carriers as eligible to receive federal universal service funds to be expended in the year 2002 consistent with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) order in CC Docket No. 96-45, In the Matter of Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service (FCC 01-157), adopted May 10, 2001:

Ace Telephone Company of Michigan, Inc. Allendale Telephone Baraga Telephone Company Barry County Telephone Company Blanchard Telephone Association, Inc. Bloomingdale Telephone Company, Inc. Carr Telephone Company CenturyTel of Michigan, Inc. CenturyTel Midwest-Michigan, Inc. CenturyTel of Northern Michigan, Inc. CenturyTel of Upper Michigan, Inc. Chapin Telephone Company Chatham Telephone Company Chippewa County Telephone Company Climax Telephone Company Communications Corporation of Michigan Contel of the South, Inc. Deerfield Farmers' Telephone Company Drenthe Telephone Company Frontier Communications of Michigan, Inc. Hiawatha Telephone Company Island Telephone Company Kaleva Telephone Company Lennon Telephone Company Midway Telephone Company Ogden Telephone Company Ontonagon County Telephone Company Peninsula Telephone Company Pigeon Telephone Company Sand Creek Telephone Company Shiawassee Telephone Company Springport Telephone Company Upper Peninsula Telephone Company Waldron Telephone Company Westphalia Telephone Company Winn Telephone Company Wolverine Telephone Company

The certification granted in this minute action is conditioned upon the Commission's reservation of its right to audit all expenditures of these universal service funds."

## MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Laura Chappelle, Chairman David A. Svanda, Commissioner Robert B. Nelson, Commissioner